

House Resolution No. 152

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished himself as a leader of his community; and

Whereas, Paul Morgenroth, an esteemed resident of Grain Valley, Missouri, will be honored as a recipient of the first Grain Valley Chamber of Commerce Pillar of the Community Award during an awards banquet to be held January 24, 2004, at the Grain Valley Community Center; and

Whereas, Paul Morgenroth is an invaluable member of the Grain Valley community who has compiled an enviable list of service to such important organizations as the Boy Scouts of America, St. Mary's Hospital Board of Associates, and the Grain Valley Assistance Council; and

Whereas, Paul Morgenroth is exceedingly proud of his ten-year affiliation with the Grain Valley Senior Citizens Nutrition program, through which he has spent several hours planning and arranging meals for local senior citizens; and

Whereas, born in Kansas City, Missouri, on February 4, 1927, Paul Morgenroth attended Blenheim Grade School and Paseo High School, dutifully served his country in the United States Army during World War II, and received his Bachelor's degree in Sociology and Psychology from Central Missouri State College in 1950; and

Whereas, Paul Morgenroth has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include his devoted wife of fifty-three years, Shirley Ruth Cumberland Morgenroth; his three children, Kathren (deceased), Marsha Sue, and Paul, Jr.; and his six grandchildren, Paul, III, William Edward, Walter Max, Brandon, Marcus, and Jenae:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and best wishes to Paul Morgenroth upon his most worthy receipt of the very first Grain Valley Chamber of Commerce Pillar of the Community Award; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for "Pillar of the Community", Paul Morgenroth.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt
District No. 55

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 152, adopted January 22, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker